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Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application mailed June 3, 2002 (copy enclosed), enclosed is an original Declaration, Power of Attorney and Petition ("Declaration") signed by the four co-inventors in the above-referenced patent application. A check in the amount of \$130.00 to cover the required fee for the late filing of a Declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.16(e) is enclosed.

Respectfully Submitted,

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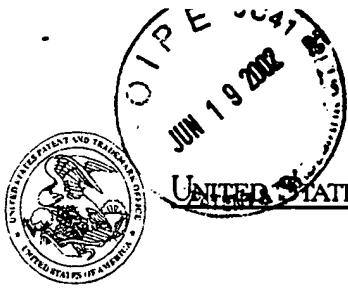
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Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

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